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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Reply Comments related to DA 12-1863, IB Docket No. 12-340, RM-11683

Dear Secretary Dortch:

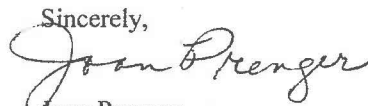
Thank you for the opportunity to reply to comments regarding LightSquared and its tireless efforts to build out a new, competitive mobile broadband network. I understand the company has a license modification application before the Commission and I want to add my voice to the hundreds of others and encourage you to approve this request from LightSquared.

I own an independent beauty salon in Jefferson City, Missouri and as a small business owner, I understand that LightSquared's new network could provide more choices, lower prices and greater coverage for Missourians all over the state. Our appetite for faster speeds, better service is not slowing down. I see this from my customers who are constantly on their smartphones and i-pads, etc. I also use these devices to help me market and run my business.

The FCC must take the lead in ensuring we use what limited spectrum we have wisely and approve LightSquared application to allow them to share spectrum with the federal government. As LightSquared stated in its filing, it will use the relevant shared spectrum "in a manner that will protect the integrity of continuing, essential government operations."

Again, I want to urge the Commission to approve LightSquared's license modification, which will enable the company to launch its network and provide greater choices for small business owners and consumers like me, and my customers.

Thank you for considering my comments and for your service to this great country of ours.

Sincerely,

Joan Prenger
Owner, Studio 1 Salon

cc: U.S. Senator Roy Blunt
U.S. Senator Claire McCaskill